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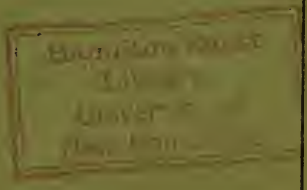

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Town Officers for 1932-1933

Moderator
HAROLD H. WILKINS

Selectmen
WALLACE CHILSON GEORGE H. HOWARD
PERCY M. ODELL

School Board
MELVIN W. PERRY MRS. MARION L. CASS
DANIEL B. WETHERBEE

Town Treasurer
Z. B. KEMP

Tax Collector
MELVIN W. PERRY

Town Clerk
Z. B. KEMP

Road Agent
CLINTON H. HOLT

Auditors
M. D. CLARK A. L. MARTIN

Supervisors of Check List
M. W. PERRY C. W. GOING
F. W. BROWN

Trustees of Trust Funds
F. W. BROWN H. H. WILKINS
W. A. PROCTOR

Firewards

A. L. MARTIN M. F. GOODALE

ARTHUR L. DANIELS

Forest Fire Warden

A. L. MARTIN

Sexton of Cemeteries

R. W. GOODALE

Constable

A. B. HUBLEY

Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber

FRED W. HUBBARD VOSCOE PLUMMER

Tree Wardens

W. L. YOUNG A. B. HUBLEY

Health Officer

A. B. HUBLEY

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL MEETING

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Amherst in the County of Hillsborough in said state, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Amherst, on Tuesday the fourteenth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriations for the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to allow the usual discount on taxes; 3 per cent. to July 1st and 2 per cent. to August 1st.

4. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to administer and dispose of any real estate acquired by the town through tax collector's deeds.

5. To see if the town will vote to close road from the four corners to New Boston line (known as Mary Campbell road) to gates and bars. By request of Selectmen of New Boston.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $35.00 for new boundry posts for Merrimack line.

7. To see what action the town will take to install pumping and water distributing plant in Meadow View Cemetery.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to provide quarters away from the town hall building for care of wayfarers. By request of Souhegan Grange.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $150.00 for two fire cisterns to afford fire protection sixteen houses built and being built. By request of Firewards.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $205.00 for fire hose. By request of the Firewards.

11. To receive reports of Committees.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty-seventh day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-three.

WALLACE CHILSON,
GEORGE H. HOWARD,
PERCY M. ODELL,
Selectmen of Amherst

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF AMHERST FOR 1932

Land and buildings		$1,213,435 00
Horses, 106		9,250 00
Asses, 1		75 00
Cows, 425		24,205 00
Neat stock, 41		1,905 00
Fowls, 8450		6,650 00
Fur bearing animals, 78 minks		325 00
Portable mills		500 00
Wood, bark and timber		805 00
Gasoline pumps		2650 00
Stock in trade		11,300 00
Aqueducts		700 00
		$1,272,550 00
Exemptions to veterans	$22,575 00	
Amount of taxes	33,390 56	
Tax rate	2.59	
School rate	1.28	

NON-TAXABLE PROPERTY

Baptist Church	$5,000 00
Baptist Parsonage	2,000 00
Congregational Church	15,000 00
Congregational Parsonage	4,000 00
Congregational Chapel and Annex	2,000 00
Town Hall	15,000 00
Fire Engine House	2,000 00
Fire Apparatus	5,000 00
Town Library	7,500 00
Contents	4,000 00
Schoolhouse, District 1	15,000 00
Schoolhouse, District 2	2,000 00
Schoolhouse, District 3	1,000 00
Schoolhouse, District 4	200 00
Schoolhouse, District 5	500 00
Schoolhouse, District 6	100 00
Schoolhouse, District 7	800 00
Schoolhouse, District 8	200 00
Schoolhouse, District 9	200 00
State Land, District 5	125 00
State Land, District 11	1,000 00
	$82,625 00

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1932 AND 1933

Town officers' salaries	$1,255 00
Town officers' expenses	463 00
Election and registration	240 00
Town hall	100 00
Police department	330 00
Fire department	1,000 00
Payment on fire truck note	1,000 00
Moth extermination	50 00
Health department	50 00
Vital statistics	35 00
Parks and playgrounds	100 00
Library	400 00
Town aid	250 00
Memorial Day	100 00
Cemeteries and cemetery fence special $75	375 00
Town clock	60 00
Highways and bridges	3,776 00
Permanent road work	1,285 00
Snow	500 00
General expense of department	100 00
Payment on cemetery funds note	500 00
State aid maintenance	1,100 00
Trunk line maitenance	1,900 00
Interest on short term notes and trust funds	800 00
County tax	3,400 00
State tax	2,954 00
Street lighting	1,200 00
Schools	15,951 15
	$39,349 47

ESTIMATED EXPENSE FOR ENSUING YEAR

1.	Town officers' salaries	$1,270 00
2.	Town officers' expenses	445 00
3.	Election and registration	105 00
4.	Town hall	225 00
5.	Police department	350 00
6.	Fire department	1,200 00
7.	Moth extermination	25 00
8.	Health department	25 00
9.	Vital statistics	35 00
10.	Parks and playgrounds	100 00
11.	Library	454 00
12.	Memorial day	100 00
13.	Cemeteries	300 00
14.	Town clock	35 00
15.	Town highways and bridges maintenance (compulsory)	3,120 73
16.	Permanent town road work comp.	1,248 37
17.	Snow	750 00
18.	General expense of department	100 00
19.	Payment on cemetery note	500 00
20.	Interest	900 00
21.	County tax (estimated)	3,600 00
22.	State tax (estimated)	3,000 00
23.	Street lighting	1,200 00
24.	Automobile fees	100 00
25.	Town aid	1,000 00
26.	Fire engine note	1,000 00
27.	Schools	13,733 89
		$34,921 99

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

For the Year Ending January 31, 1933

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1, from last year	$1,232 04
M. W. Perry, Collector, 1930 taxes	453 72
M. W. Perry, Collector, 1931 taxes	6,413 46
M. W. Perry, Collector, 1932 taxes	25,058 34
M. W. Perry, Collector, int. on 1931 taxes	71 39
M. W. Perry, Collector, McCormick tax sale	4 44
Z. B. Kemp, Clerk, auto permits for 1932	366 12
Z. B. Kemp, Clerk, auto permits for 1933	753 05
Z. B. Kemp, Clerk, dog licenses	333 07
Z. B. Kemp, Clerk, Sunday licenses	12 00
Souhegan Nat'l. Bank, short term notes	13,000 00
M. W. Perry, short term note	1,000 00
State Treasurer, highways	5,777 86
State Treasurer, interest and dividends	1,015 68
State Treasurer, savings bank tax	1,755 24
State Treasurer, railroad tax	206 90
State Treasurer, insurance tax	75
State Treasurer, forest fires	68 60
H. D. Hilchey, forest fires	4 51
B. and M. R. R., forest fires	189 31
County Treasurer, county aid	1,976 66
County Treasurer, board of children	37 35
Nashua Municipal Court, fines	25 00
Souhegan Grange, hall rent for 1931	50 00
Souhegan Grange, hall rent for 1932	50 00
Men's Club of Amherst, hall rent for 1932	50 00
A. B. Hubley, hall rent	7 00
A. B. Hubley, hall rent	5 00
Trustees of Trust Funds, Fiske Cem. fund	30 39
Trustees of Trust Funds, Fiske Highway fund	40 38
Town of Mont Vernon, school tax for 1931	70 00
Town of Mont Vernon, school tax for 1932	70 40

E. H. Peaslee, refund on Hollis road work	4 20
W. R. Mitchell, veterinary services	2 50
A. L. Martin, refund on chemicals	45
Alfred Lincoln, burning grass	11 00
Wallace Chilson, iron posts	2 17
J. E. Barker, "McCaffrey" sale	81 97
Elizabeth Hardy, permanent care cem. lot	100 00
Eliza J. Stearns Est., perm. care cem. lot	100 00
Dora N. Spalding, perm. care cem. lot	200 00
Celia M. Putnam, special cemetery gift	1,000 00
Guy H. Nelson, sale of trailer	7 00
Roland W. Goodale, Sexton, sale of lot to R. H. Upham	15 00
Roland W. Goodale, Sexton, sale of lot to Geo. Seaverns	15 00
Roland W. Goodale, Sexton, sale of wood	1 00
Roland W. Goodale, Sexton, received for use of grave grass	26 00
Z. B. Kemp, spraying, 1931	1 00
A. L. Martin, spraying, 1931	1 50
Chas. P. Bailey, spraying, 1931	2 50
Anna S. Chase, spraying, 1931	1 25
Edward West, spraying, 1931	1 50
H. R. Elliott, spraying, 1931	1 00
Addie L. Morse, spraying, 1931	4 50
Frances F. Joyce, spraying, 1931	6 50
P. M. Odell, spraying, 1931	1 00
Anna K. Carruth, spraying, 1931	14 00
Frank Emerson, spraying, 1931	1 00
George Huntington, spraying, 1931	5 00
Fannie L. Clark, spraying, 1931	1 00
Mina Kimball, spraying, 1931	75
Mrs. N. S. Bean, spraying, 1931	21 00
F. O. Stevens, spraying, 1931	2 00
Mrs. R. A. Spalding, spraying, 1931	12 50
Margaret L. Dutton, spraying, 1931	5 00
A. W. Converse, spraying, 1931	1 00

L. E. Clark, spraying, 1931	1 00
Robert Sanford, spraying, 1931	1 25
H. E. Shedd, spraying, 1931	1 25
Estelle M. Hicks, spraying, 1931	2 25
M. D. Clark, spraying, 1931	1 50
Harry Carpenter, spraying, 1931	3 00
B. F. McNamee, filing fee for representative	2 00
M. W. Perry, filing fee for supervisor	1 00
C. W. Going, filing fee for supervisor	1 00
H. H. Wilkins, filing fee for moderator	1 00
F. W. Brown, filing fee for supervisor	1 00
W. A. Proctor, filing fee for representative	2 00
Total Receipts	$61,797 20

PAYMENTS

Paid out by Orders of the Selectmen	$58,868 15
Balance of cash on hand Jan. 31, 1933	2,929 05
Total	$61,797 20

RECAPITULATION

Liabilities

Due:	
Trustees of Trust Funds, bal. on cem. note	$1,000 00
Amherst School Dist., bal. app. for '32-'33	7,000 00
M. W. Perry, Fire Dept. note due Dec. 31, 1933	1,000 00
M. W. Perry, short term note	1,000 00
Souhegan National Bank, short term notes	13,000 00
Total	$23,000 00

Assets

Cash on hand in Treasury Jan. 31, 1933	$2,929 05
Due:	
From County Treasurer	262 72

From Town of New Boston, school tax for 1931	160 00
Town of New Boston, school tax for 1932	136 24
From uncollected taxes of 1930	186 32
From uncollected taxes of 1931	1,594 57
Uncollected taxes of 1932	7,705 97
From State Treas., abatement of state tax	8 39
From State Treas., hedgehog bounties	5 40
Total	$12,988 66
Net Town Indebtedness	$10,011 34

Amherst, N. H., February 7, 1933.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Town Officers Salaries:

Appropriation $1255.00

Wallace Chilson	$250 00	
George H. Howard	250 00	
Percy M. Odell	250 00	
Z. B. Kemp, town clerk	125 00	
Z. B. Kemp, town treasurer	125 00	
Z. B. Kemp, clerk of trust funds	50 00	
M. W. Perry, tax collector	200 00	
M. D. Clark, auditor 1931-1932	10 00	
A. L. Martin, auditor '1932	5 00	
		$1265 00

Town Officers' Expense:

Appropriation $463.00

E. J. Raymond, supplies	$ 1 32
Wyman, Starr & Booth	5 00
A. S. Healey, court permission, special town meeting	2 20
Alice K. Peaslee, clerical work	25 00
Z. B. Kemp, expense to annual meeting	3 00
A. B. Hubley, telephone	3 45
Souhegan National Bank, safety deposit box	5 00
Natalie E. Merrill, record of real estate transfers	7 80
P. M. Odell, use of auto	25 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7 40
J. J. Haggerty, Registry of Deeds, L. E. Clark land	1 29
J. J. Haggerty, Registry of Deeds, B. & M. R. R. land	78

Coloniel Press, Town Reports '32	192 00	
Colonial Press, supplies	27 50	
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	9 83	
H. B. Burtt, stamps	65 26	
M. W .Perry, town officers' bonds	40 00	
M. W. Perry, postage	6 08	
A. L. Martin, supplies	2 00	
Cabinet Press, notices	1 00	
New Hampshire Assessors' Association, dues	4 00	
M. W. Perry, bond for town treas.	5 00	
		$439 91

Election and Registration:

Appropriation $240.00

James S. Hodgson, ballot clerk	$10 00	
Colonial Press, checklists	22 00	
Wm. Reynolds, ballot clerk	15 00	
D. B. Wetherbee, ballot clerk	15 00	
H. R. Locke, ballot clerk	15 00	
H. H. Wilkins, moderator	32 00	
M. W. Perry, supervisor	35 00	
F. W. Brown, supervisor	35 00	
C. W. Going, supervisor	35 00	
L. E. Clark, ballot clerk	10 00	
A. B. Hubley, services	15 00	
		$239 00

Town Hall:

Appropriation	$100 00
Received for Rental	112 00
	$212 00

A. B. Hubley, janitor	$72 00	
Frank Hartshorn Co., lumber	48	
A. R. Merrill, labor	1 00	
H. R. Locke, supplies	2 40	

John Parkhurst, wood	15 00	
P. M. Odell, keys	35	
E. H. Peaslee, wood	6 50	
Clarence Richardson, labor	2 00	
M. W. Perry, insurance	37 50	
F. W. Hubbard, wood	17 00	
John R. Martin, stove pipe	1 25	
C. F. Roberts, repairs	5 75	
Public Service Co.	49 14	
A. L. Martin, supplies	23 75	
A. B. Hubley, labor and supplies	9 65	
		$243 77

Police Department:

Appropriation	$330 00	
Court Fines	25 00	
	$355 00	
E. A. Monte, car hire	$ 1 50	
A. B. Hubley, Geo. Boutelle extra	4 00	
A. B. Hubley, Raymond Roll extra	4 00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7 85	
A. B. Hubley:		
Wetherbee & Stockwell, extras	7 00	
Witness fees	4 50	
Car hire	2 50	
Court cases	6 00	
Police matron, care of woman	3 00	
Dance halls Aug. 6-13-20-27	16 00	
Service Aug. 17	8 00	
Call Aug. 4	2 00	
Call Aug. 15	1 00	
Auto accident Feb. 10	1 00	
Auto accident Feb. 19	1 00	
Call Oct. 7	50	
Auto accident Oct. 11	3 00	

Calls	2 00	
Auto registration book	4 50	
5 calls, July 5-19-24-28-31	10 00	
Dance Sept. 3	4 00	
Services Lake Sept. 4-11	4 00	
Sept. 5, chief and assistants, dance hall	6 00	
Chief and Monte and White, Scott case	18 00	
Dance, Sept. 10	4 00	
Service, Sept. 11	2 00	
Call Sept. 18, Honey Pot Pond	3 00	
Call Sept. 19, Honey Pot Pond	1 00	
Dance Lake, Sept. 17-24	8 00	
Telephone, Sept.-Oct.-Nov.	7 50	
Dance Halls May 7-14-21-28-30	20 00	
May 5-13 calls	2 00	
Dance at lake June 4-9-11-18-23-25-30	28 00	
At Lake July 2	4 00	
Dance halls and village July 4	9 00	
Dance Halls July 7-9-10-16-23-30	24 00	
Dance, special officers	4 00	
Dance Oct 1-8	8 00	
Fred Miles, tramp	1 00	
A. L. Martin, food for tramps	2 61	
A. B. Hubley, tramps	98 00	
	$347 46	
Error in account	10 00	
		$357 46

Due from A. B. Hubley, $11.17

Fire Department:

Appropriation $1,000.00

Geo. H. Howard, janitor	$75 00
Arthur L. Daniels, warden to Jan. 31, 1933	15 00
Millard F. Goodale, warden to Jan. 31, 1933	15 00
A. L. Martin, chief fire warden to Jan. 31, 1933	25 00
A. L. Martin, forest fire warden	25 00
Geo. H. Howard, pay for firemen	200 00
Geo. H. Howard, carting ashes	1 00
M. W. Perry, ins. on apparatus	27 90
M. W. Perry, ins. on fire dept. house	25 00
F. T. Boutelle, painting doors	3 50
B. F. McNamee, liability ins.	144 86
A. H. Blanchard Co., supplies	13 65
C. F. Roberts, labor	1 58
H. R. Locke, supplies	1 25
H. R. Locke, water for hydrant	10 00
M. F. Goodale, supplies	2 65
L. F. Wyman, hydrants and well	30 00
W. O. Mason, water hole, Ponemah	60 00
C. H. Holt, waterhole, Ponemah	37 55
Public Service Co.	47 34
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	44 00
David Whiting & Sons Co.	80 53
A. W. Converse, snow	2 80
Clark's Garage	99 35
A. L. Martin:	
Chas. Reynolds, dump fire	2 50
Cleaning fire well, Acre	7 00
Dump fire	15 13
Jacobson fire and Kirby chimney fire	3 00

Dump fire	3 00	
Supplies and work	4 16	
Fillurt & Son $10.00, Robertson Motor Co. .89, supplies 1.57	12 46	
M. F. Goodale $2.08, supplies $4.57	6 65	
Supplies	3 91	
Supplies	2 73	
Labor and supplies	8 06	
Supplies	3 82	
Supplies and labor	7 49	
Supplies bought of Holt	4 45	
M. F. Goodale $1.75, supplies $1.12	2 87	
Geo. E. Truell $1.80, supplies $3.41	5 21	
Shoveling snow and supplies	3 24	
Chimney fires	35 76	
Grass fire $2.00, watchman $2.00, chimney fire Perry $1.50	5 50	
Brush and grass fires	5 00	
Grass fire	11 00	
Lizzie Hill, house fire	9 50	
B. and M. station	46 26	
Geo. Parker cottage	32 26	
Arthur Field place	19 50	
Brush fires	371 32	
		$1619 74

Received from A. L. Martin, refund on chemicals	$ 45	
Received from B. & M. R. R.	189 31	
Received from State Treas.	68 60	
Received from H. D. Hilchey	4 51	

Received from Guy H. Nelson	7 00	
Received from Alfred Lincoln	11 00	
		$280 87
Actual expense		$1338 87

Moth Extermination:

Appropriation $50.00

A. L. Martin		$ 81

Bounties:

R. W. Weston	$ 40	
Edward Beck	20	
Clarence Frost	20	
James Frost	20	
Roy Gilmore	20	
Melvin Philbrook	80	
Henry Fuller	60	
P. M. Odell	2 80	
		$5 40

Due from State, $5.40

Damage by Dogs:

A. B. Hubley, officer	$25 00	
A. B. Hubley, McNeil case	2 00	
A. B. Hubley, Reed case	8 00	
N. H. Supply Co., license tags	6 15	
J. P. Melzer, license books	3 00	
R. J. McNeil, 27 7-months old pullets	30 00	
		$74 15

To be deducted from Dog License money

Health Department:

Appropriation $50.00

A. B. Hubley, posting cards	$2 00	
A. B. Hubley, inspection	3 00	
A. B. Hubley, service	2 00	
		$7 00

Vital Statistics:

Appropriation $35.00

Z. B. Kemp, recording	$20 25	
Dr. Henry H. Dearborn, report	50	
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	22 65	
		$43 40

ROADS

State Aid Maintenance:

R. P. Bryant $13 80

Received from State, $23.80

Trunk Line Maintenance:

R. P. Bryant $90 41

Received from State, $90.41

Trunk Line Snow:

A. H. Todd	$43 00	
	38 00	
		$81 00

Received from State, $81.00

Maintenance of Town Highways and Bridges:

Appropriation	$3776 00
Fiske Fund	40 38
	$3816 38

Clinton H. Holt $3771 32

Gasoline Tax Construction:

Clinton H. Holt $1778 03

Received from State, $1778 71

Permanent Construction:

Appropriation $1285 00

Clinton H. Holt $1283 83

Snow Account:

Appropriation $500.00

Clinton H. Holt $693 48

Unemployment Relief Fund $3786.00 For Silver Lake Road Construction

Ernest Nichols, truck	$4 00	
Warren H. Chase, lumber	4 80	
Franklin R. Brown, cement	60	
Chas. Pherson, filing saws	2 00	
Alex McKay, lumber	7 75	
E. J. Raymond, supplies	5 80	
R. H. Upham, posts	4 20	
D. Whiting & Sons, cement	7 05	
Milford Machine Works, axels	1 50	
Franklin Barker, gravel	1 32	
Elgin Bartlett, gravel	53 22	
E. H. Wason, gravel	1 50	
J. Cushing Co., cement	47 25	
Millard F. Goodale, labor	14 40	
A. L. Martin, supplies	45 01	
Hatch Hardware Co., supplies	21 55	
E. H. Peaslee, payroll	3411 23	
	$3633 18	
Paid by state to F. A. Stockley	150 63	
		$3783 81
Received from state	$3628 74	
Received from E. H. Peaslee	4 20	
	$3632 94	

Street Lighting:

Appropriation $1200.00

Public Service Co.	$1092 50	
A. L. Martin, supplies	35	
W. J. Keating, Lake Baboosic	100 00	
H. R. Locke, labor traffic light	2 75	
		$1195 60

General Expense of Department:

Appropriation $100.00

R. W. Goodwin, damage to car	$1 00	
R. Crooker, damage to car	5 00	
John Parkhurst, housing road plows	5 00	
Geo. H. Howard, trucking	10 00	
Chas. Michaud, signs	5 00	
		$26 00

Library:

Appropriation $400.00

Bertha L. Piper, Treasurer		$400 00

Town Aid:

Appropriation $250.00

World War veteran	$ 5 00	
A. L. Martin, clothing for William Burgerson	4 00	
A. L. Martin, shoes for World War veteran	3 50	
James Doyle, rent for Patrick Doyle	60 00	
Ober Clothing Co., clothing for World War veteran	19 86	
E. J. Raymond, medicine for William Burgerson	4 00	
John H. Parkhurst, wood for Mattie Conrey	5 00	
R. H. Upham, wood for Mattie Conrey	25 75	
County of Hillsboro, pension allowed by county commissioners	86 71	
Mattie Conrey, allowance	110 00	
Angeline M. Ryan, rent for Mattie Conrey	96 00	
		$419 82

County Aid:

O. W. Carleton, Mrs. Howland	$4 22
Ober Clothing Co., suit for son of S. H. Case	2 50
R. W. Weston, wood for S. H. Case	2 00
Hatch Hardware Co., Mrs. Howland	90
Josie Trow, stove for S. H. Case	3 00
Proctor Bros. & Co., wood for S. H. Case	5 00
John H. Parkhurst, wood for Joseph Daniels	5 00
M. E. Hayward, milk for L. McChinskie	9 00
Dr. H. S. Hutchinson, Dion family	2 50
Chas. H. Colby, rent for L. McChinskie	30 00
A. B. Hubley, transp. to Grasmere	14 50
A. R. Merrill, moving S. H. Case	3 00
A. R. Merrill, rent for S. H. Case	14 15
R. W. Goodale, services Geo. Merrill's funeral	6 63
John T. Smith, burial of George Merrill	50 00
John T. Smith, burial of James E. McCarthy	50 00
Martha Hubley, rent for S. H. Case	20 00
W. S. Manning, milk and beef for Edwin Hanson	13 53
C. A. Hayward & Sons, milk for Mrs. Howland	17 28
P. M. Odell:	
Wood for McChinskie	21 50
Wood for S. H. Case	9 00
Wood for J. Daniels	37 75
Wood for Wm. Brown	45 00

Chas. Converse, rent, J. Daniels	55	00
Dr. Oscar Burns:		
Services for James Briggs	3	00
Examination	10	00
Services, Mrs. & Miss Deacon	22	00
Services, Mrs. Geo. Gilmore	4	00
Services, S. H. Case	9	00
Services, L. McChinskie	10	00
Services, Wm. Brown	7	50
Services, Mr. Jordan	9	00
Services, John Elliot family	15	00
Services, Eleanor Fields	9	00
Services, August C. Junkins	33	00
A. L. Martin:		
Shoes for Arthur Fields' child	2	25
Groceries for Arthur Fields	61	42
Groceries for F. M. Clark	12	04
Groceries for Chas. Merrill	2	64
Groceries, E. Hanson family	28	41
Groceries, L. McChinskie	9	95
Groceries, a veteran	19	88
Groceries, Walter Frost fam.	35	08
Clothing, Walter Frost fam.	17	79
Groceries for Mrs. Howland and children	67	19
Clothing etc. for John Elliott family	22	40
Clothing, etc., E. Burgerson	28	35
Clothing, etc., Alfred Dion family	31	65
Groceries, etc., S. H. Case	34	18
Clothing, etc., Geo. Merrill	13	35
Groceries, J. Daniels	120	59
Clothing, etc., J. Daniels	12	74
H. R. Elliott:		
Groceries, Roland Goodwin	2	00
Groceries, a veteran	6	00

Groceries, Geo. Gilmore	17 00	
Groceries, Wm. Brown	106 51	
Groceries, E. H. Burgerson	180 00	
Groceries, Alfred Dion	136 03	
Groceries, John Elliott	105 00	
Groceries, Geo. Merrill	80 30	
Groceries, S. H. Case	69 70	
Groceries, Walter Frost	48 00	
Groceries, L. McChinskie	134 58	
		$1957 99
Received from County	$1842 12	
Due from County	$262 72	

Memorial Day:

Appropriation $100.00		
Laurel Band	$60 00	
Boston Regalia Co.	7 50	
Rev. James T. English, orator	10 00	
A. L. Martin, supplies	9 73	
Rodney C. Woodman, plants	18 00	
Frank Richardson, use of car and wreaths	3 75	
A. B. Hubley, services	3 00	
		$111 98

Parks and Playgrounds:

Appropriation $100.00		
Geo. Bliss, labor.	$ 50	
Edward Ballou, labor	3 00	
H. R. Locke, repairing pump	2 00	
Chas. Reynolds, repairing lawn mower	1 00	
C. F. Roberts, repairing seats and fence	7 75	
Harry Boutelle, labor on Clark Memorial field	12 75	
A. L. Martin, supplies	1 35	

A. B. Hubley, cleaning up parks	35 00	
		$63 35

Cemeteries:

Appropriation	$300.00	
B. F. Foster, hearse hire	$ 8 00	
A. L. Martin, tools and supplies	2 95	
R. W. Goodale, Meadowview	191 34	
R. W. Goodale, Chestnut Hill	8 50	
R. W. Goodale, Cricket Corner	27 83	
R. W. Goodale, Old Cemetery	37 32	
R. W. Goodale, Town Farm Cem.	15 20	
R. W. Goodale, wood for hearse house	2 00	
		$293 14
Received for use of grass blanket	$26 00	

Cemetery Fence—Special:

Appropriation	$75.00	
Sale of Posts	2.17	
	$77.17	
Brown Fence and Wire Co.	$51 10	
R. W. Goodale, labor	27 85	
		$78 95

Legal Expenses:

Kittredge & Prescott, sheriff's sale, etc.		$44 00
Received from J. E. Baker	$25 71	

Taxes Bought by Town:

M. W. Perry		$56 26
Received from J. E. Baker	$56 26	

Town Clock:

Appropriation	$60.00	
M. W. Perry, insurance	$ 7 50	
Chas. Pherson, cleaning clock and repairs	25 00	

Chas. Pherson, care of clock	25 00	
		$57 50

Automobile Fees:

Z. B. Kemp	$93 00

Automotive Service Bureau:

Automotive Service Bureau	$36 71

Interest:

Appropriation $800.00

M. W. Perry	$ 90 00	
Trustees of Trust Funds	60 00	
Souhegan National Bank	707 41	
		$857 41

Trustees of Trust Funds:

Trust fund from Eliz'th Hardy	$100 00	
Trust fund from Celia M. Putnam Est.	1000 00	
Trust fund from Eliza Stearns Est.	100 00	
Trust fund from Dora M. Spalding Est.	200 00	
Town of Amherst on Trust Fund Note	500 00	
		$1900 00

Temporary Loans:

Souhegan National Bank	$12,000 00

Long Term Notes:

M. W. Perry	$1000 00

County Treasurer:

Appropriation $3400.00

Alvan A. Lucier	$3406 60

State Treasurer:

Appropriation $2954.00

C. T. Patten	$2954 00

Schools:

Appropriation $15,951.15

Paid School District	$16,275 15

Dog tax, $324.00, included

Amherst, N. H., February 7, 1933.

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MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

TAX OF 1932

Dr.

To amount of warrant	$33,341 56	
Extra tax collected	33 00	
Capitol Bank Tax, Souhegan National	43 00	
Capitol Bank Tax, Second Natl.	6 00	
		$33,423 56

Cr.

By paid Town Treas.	$25,058 34	
3 percent discount allowed to July 1 and 2 per cent discount allowed to Aug. 1	327 95	
Abatements ordered by selectmen	331 30	
Uncollected in hands of collector	7705 97	
		$33,423 56

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR 1931

Dr.

To amount due town Feb. 1, 1932		$8,649 54

Cr.

By paid Town Treasurer	$6413 46	
By abatements ordered by selectmen	641 51	
Uncollected in hands of coll.	1594 57	
		$8649 54

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR 1930

Dr.

To amount due town Feb. 1, 1932		$716 74

Cr.

By paid Town Treasurer	$453 72	
By abatement order by selectmen	76 70	
Uncollected in hands of coll.	186 32	
		$716 74

INTEREST ACCOUNT

Dr.

To amount collected	$71 39

Cr.

By paid Town Treasurer	$71 39

Dr.

Tax sale C. M. McCormick, 1928, 1929 and 1930	$4 44

Cr.

By paid Town Treasurer	$4 44

M. W. PERRY,
Collector.

Amherst, N. H., February 7, 1933.

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ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

REPORT OF HIGHWAY AGENT

C. H. Holt, Road Agent

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriation	$3776 00
Fiske Fund	40 38
	$3816 38

R. P. Bryant	$ 1 75
R. P. Bryant, truck	272 00
Patrick Doyle	16 10
E. A. Caldwell	28 50
M. Brown	2 10
W. B. Crooker	9 10
James Doyle	164 85
Guy Bills	92 05
Dyar Sales Co.	29 96
Harry Boutelle	9 73
George D. Case	4 19
Frank Bills	124 25
D. K. Holt	3 15
C. H. Holt	478 05
C. H. Holt, truck	858 22
C. W. Holt, truck	5 70
Thomas Ingerson	3 15
John Hanson	45 75
D. P. Hadley	3 00
Gus Johnson	4 20
H. J. Cochran	37 00
Samuel Case	4 00
W. J. Lauder	73 50
Fred Miles	48 05
James McGuinness	12 60
M. McSwinsky	8 05
Monroe Nichols	7 70
Keith Noble	4 20
Nashua Boiler Works	3 65

C. W. Perkins	8 10
Roy Parker	259 00
Ernest Philbrook	95 20
Charles Pettingale	140 35
Charles Pherson	33 00
V. H. Plummer	13 30
R. F. Palmer	21 70
N. Stockwell	37 45
Richard Sherman	22 18
George Parker	89 60
Niles Co.	6 00
A. L. Martin	30 13
M. F. Goodale	42 45
Fred Willard	20 55
R. W. Weston, truck	64 00
R. W. Weston	50 15
William White	1 75
D. Whiting Co.	84
Melvin Ladd	18 90
Roland Goodwin	25 08
John Young	17 50
Frank Hartshorn Co.	19 45
Maurice Hokinson	1 03
Richard Hare	1 93
Ernest Peaslee	67 67
Albert Faber	7 70
W. L. Young	18 66
Freight	1 59
Ernest Burgerson	27 30
Hatch Hardware	46
Clarence Frost	35 25
Berger Metal Culvert Co.	22 60
Robert Weston	33 30
Leo Manning	14 35
Algot Monson	9 45
Philco Steel Co.	25 00
Ralph Cox, gravel	6 20

Forrest Miller, gravel	29 70
Aaron Emerson, gravel	36 30
Henry Robinson, gravel	40 70
Thomas R. Gould, gravel	7 40
Melvin Hutchinson	1 50
E. C. Eastman and Co.	1 00
Elmer Wheeler, gravel	7 50
Wason Bank, gravel	3 50
	$3771 32

GAS TAX ACCOUNT
Appropriation $1778.71

George Boutelle	$ 4 50
Ernest Burgeson	15 75
William J. Broderick	10 50
R. P. Bryant	27 00
Guy Bills	12 60
Frank Bills	31 50
Patrick Doyle	3 15
Alfred Dion	12 60
James Doyle	31 50
Charles Deacon	6 30
Ralph Cox	35 20
C. H. Holt	64 00
C. H. Holt, truck	123 80
D. K. Holt	22 05
C. W. Holt	2 50
Koppers Products Co.	984 30
W. Lauder	15 75
James McGuinness	9 45
Fred Miles	6 40
Leo Manning	14 70
John Young	6 30
Algot Monson	2 80
Town of Milford	25 50
John Pesterfield	5 00

George Parker	9 45
Roy Parker	6 00
Roy Parker, truck	168 00
Charles Pettingale	22 05
Ernest Philbrook	3 15
Henry Stockwell	12 60
F. A. Stockley	42 00
Fred Towne	3 15
Leonard Stockwell	28 35
R. W. Weston	6 00
Charles Reynolds	4 13
	$1778 03

SNOW ACCOUNT
Appropriation $500.00

R. P. Bryant	$86 00
Leon Buxton	8 05
William Crooker	4 20
Frank Bills	16 80
Frank Emerson	2 00
Charles Fields	3 00
Roland Goodwin	1 40
C. H. Holt, truck	141 08
C. H. Holt	95 39
D. K. Holt	8 80
W. R. Holt	5 30
Herbert Holt	7 60
Thomas Ingerson	6 70
Thomas Harvell	25 80
George Howard	28 00
Ernest Philbrook	1 60
Keith Noble	4 00
Charles Merrill	29 33
Charles Pherson	19 45
Charles Pherson, man	2 00
Richard Sherman	3 60

R. G. Sherman	7 20
William White	5 20
Fred Miles	2 00
R. F. Palmer	8 75
J. B. Varick	5 25
M. F. Goodale	18 11
Hartshorn Lumber Co.	70 55
C. W. Perkins	7 50
Roy Parker	8 00
William Lauder	2 10
S. W. Stirk	4 00
State Highway Dept.	23 52
Fred Willard	1 65
R. W. Weston	12 10
Richard Hare	6 75
William Young	10 70
	$693 48

PERMANENT WORK

Appropriation $1285.00

Andrew Arnold	$ 2 70
Emma Bennett	2 00
Ernest Burgeson	35 35
R. P. Bryant	9 00
R. P. Bryant, truck	38 00
Frank Bills	90 65
James Doyle	33 25
Ralph Cox	26 40
Alfred Dion	11 55
Charles Deacon	6 30
Aaron Emerson	19 00
W. J. Broderick	3 00
W. H. Grassett	50
Thos. R. Gould	1 80
George Goodale	2 50
Leon Gaidmore	10 15

Kenneth Grassett	3 15
C. H. Holt, truck	298 00
C. H. Holt	80 95
Melvin Ladd	21 35
William Lauder	12 25
A. L. Martin	3 45
Charles Roby	7 00
Fred Miles	54 00
Algot Monson	8 40
Leo Manning	6 30
Koppers Products Co.	254 40
Emma Noble	2 80
George Parker	6 30
Ernest Philbrook	9 45
Roy Parker	100 00
Charles Pettingale	18 90
Forrest Miller	19 10
Clarence Frost	3 33
Nashua Gravel Bank	2 00
Town of Milford	18 00
R. W. Weston	28 00
L. E. Wyman Estate	7 60
Leonard Stockwell	26 95
	$1283 83

Amherst, N. H., February 15, 1933.

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MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

AMHERST TO HOLLIS STATE ROAD

Appropriation $3786 00

E. H. Peaslee, foreman	$196 70
Roy Parker, truck	148 50
Fred Miles, truck	121 50
R. W. Weston, truck	157 50
Jack Faustiauna, truck and derrick	32 22
Edward Caldwell, team	117 00
Charles Pherson, team	135 00
William Crooker, team	119 00
W. J. Armstrong, team	99 00
Carl Perkins, team	105 00
R. W. Weston, team	71 85
Elgin Bartlett, horse	7 40
Lorenzo Villee, labor	3 15
G. A. Johnson, labor	89 78
James Doyle, labor	91 36
Guy Bills, labor	91 36
Robert Weston, labor	78 23
R. W. Weston, labor	35 36
Melvin Ladd, labor	39 38
Horace Hanson, labor	25 20
Roland Goodwin, labor	28 35
Joseph Gouett, labor	40 95
Frank Guidemore, labor	18 90
Franklin Parker, labor	37 45
Albert Jackson, labor	15 75
Charles Deacon, labor	42 53
Elgin Bartlett, labor	34 25
Kenneth Grassett, labor	28 35
B. F. Piper, labor	18 90
Fred Dion, labor	25 20
Alfred Dion, labor	37 80
John Taylor, labor	15 75
Charles Roby, labor	9 45
Peter Soine, labor	26 78

John Soine, labor	7 88
J. Ross, labor	29 31
James P. Doyle, labor	29 93
John Doyle, labor	28 36
Pat Doyle, labor	29 93
William Lauder, labor	29 93
Timothy Sullivan, labor	29 93
Ernest Bergerson, labor	29 93
Joseph Bergerson, labor	20 48
Levi Dudley, labor	20 48
Algot Monson, labor	30 98
Frank Stearns, labor	9 45
Alex Ingram, labor	18 90
Seino Heino, labor	18 90
Leonard Reed, labor	26 78
Clarence Frost, labor	37 80
Walter Frost, labor	37 80
Leonard Stockwell, labor	18 90
Newton Stockwell, labor	18 90
Henry Stockwell, labor	18 90
Town treasurer, refund check	4 20
James McGuinness, labor	9 45
Edward Barteltt, labor	18 90
Robert Sanford, labor	18 90
Robert Watt	18 90
Raymond Blair, labor	20 48
James Jennis, labor	18 90
George Gilmore, labor	18 90
Clarence Hagar, labor	9 45
Austin Merrill, labor	18 90
James Sullivan, labor	18 90
B. F. Monson, labor	22 05
Leon Guidemore, labor	12 60
William Goodale, labor	29 93
Walter Ryan, labor	18 90
George Long, labor	9 45
Walter Converse, labor	17 33

Edward Monte, labor	9 45	
John Ainsworth, labor	17 33	
Charles Pettingale, labor	20 48	
C. J. Thomas, labor	11 03	
Leslie Potter, labor	11 03	
Albert Faber, labor	29 93	
Andrew Faber, labor	18 90	
Frederick Peters, labor	18 90	
James R. Blair, labor	22 05	
James Allen, labor	17 33	
Willard Batchelder, labor	9 45	
Dan Wetherbee, labor	18 90	
Archie Dutton, labor	9 45	
John Elliott, labor	29 93	
Richard Small, labor	18 90	
George Grassett, labor	25 20	
Ernest Nichols, labor	40 95	
Granville Roby, labor	20 48	
Frank Palmer, labor	28 35	
George Cass, labor	9 45	
Alex McKay, labor	18 90	
G. H. Brown, labor	28 35	
Tom Ingerson, labor	23 63	
Albert Junkins, labor	28 35	
Payroll		$3411 23
Suplies, Repairs and Gravel:		
A. L. Martin	$45 01	
Hatch Hardware Co.	21 55	
Cushing Co.	47 25	
Millard Goodale	14 40	
Milford Machine Works	1 50	
D. Whiting Co.	7 05	
Warren Chase	4 80	
Ernest Nichols	4 00	
Alex McKay	7 75	
Charles Pherson	2 00	
E. J. Raymond	5 80	

Franklin Barker	1 32	
George Brown	60	
Edward Wason	1 50	
Elgin Bartlett	53 22	
Ralph Upham	4 20	
		$221 95
F. A. Stockley, culverts		150 63
Total		$3783 81

E. H. PEASLEE,
Foreman.

Amherst, N. H., February 7, 1933.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

For Year Ending January 31, 1933

This is to certify that I have issued permits for the registration of Motor Vehicles from February 1, 1932 to January 31, 1933 inclusive, to the amount of $1,119.17 and paid the same to the Town Treasurer.

Z. B. KEMP,
Town Clerk of Amherst, N. H.

This is to certify that I have received for Dog Licenses issued from February 1, 1932 to January 31, 1933 inclusive the sum of $360 67
Less commission (138 licenses at 20c each) 27 60

Balance paid to Town Treasurer $333 07

Z. B. KEMP,
Town Clerk of Amherst, N. H.

This is to certify that I have issued Sunday licenses to the amount of $12.00 and paid the same to the Town Treasurer.

Z. B. KEMP,
Town Clerk of Amherst, N. H.

This is to certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct.

MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

For Year Ending January 31, 1933

RECEIPTS

On hand Feb. 1, 1932:	
Souhegan Checking account	$1189 61
Souhegan Savings Dept.	172 87
Nashua Trust Co.	134 48
Total on hand	$1496 96
Received in 1932 (int. and accrued int.)	1527 80
Total	$3024 76

PAYMENTS

Amount paid out	$1520 55
On hand Feb. 1, 1933:	
Souhegan Checking account	1120 39
Souhegan Savings Dept.	249 55
Nashua Trust Co.	128 44
Wilton Savings Dept.	5 83
Total	$3024 76

FREDERICK W. BROWN,
HAROLD H. WILKINS,
W. A. PROCTOR,
Trustees.

Amherst, N. H., February 7, 1933.

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MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF AMHERST FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1933

Name of Fund and Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Bal. Income Feb. 1, 1932	Income during yr.	Expended 1932	Bal. on Hand
Amal. Cemetery Fund No. 1	Amoskeag Savings Bank	$8775.00				
Amal. Cemetery Fund No. 2	Mechanics Savings Bank	2000.00				
Amal. Cemetery Fund No. 3	Souhegan Savings	3035.00	$1189.61	$591.74	$660.96	$1120.39
Amal. Cemetery Fund No. 3	Note of Town of Amherst	1000.00				
Amal. Cemetery Fund No. 4	Manchester Savings	300.00				
Special Cemetery Fund	Souhegan Savings	2000.00	172.87	76.68		249.55
Fiske Cemetery Fund	Mechanics Savings Bank	1000.00		46.14	46.14	
Fiske Highway Fund	Manchester Savings Bank	1000.00		40.38	40.38	
Parker Cemetery & Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1000.00		40.40	40.40	
A. Lawrence School Fund	Second National Nashua	1500.00		58.07	58.07	
Miss Lawrence School Fund	Nashua Trust Co.	500.00	134.48	24.00	30.04	128.44
Spaulding School Fund	15 shares Peterboro, RR.	1500.00		52.50	52.50	
Spaulding School Fund	Bonds of City of Laconia	2000.00		80.00	80.00	
Spaulding School Fund	Bonds—Milford Sch. Dist.	2000.00		85.00	85.00	
Spaulding School Fund	New Hampshire Savings	3000.00		104.98	104.98	
Spaulding School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1500.00		60.60	60.60	
Nutt School Fund	New Hampshire Savings	5000.00		175.00	175.00	
French Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1000.00		40.38	40.38	
Emma L. Clark Library Fund	Mechanics Savings Bank	500.00		23.05	23.05	
Geo. W. George Library Fund	Mechanics Savings Bank	500.00		23.05	23.05	
Geo. W. Putnam Cem. Fund	Wilton Savings Bank	1000.00		5.83		5.83
	Totals,	$40,110.00	$1,496.96	$1,527.80	$1,520.55	$1,504.21

New Amounts given during 1932 for Cemetery Care: Levi McConhie Lot, $100.; Eliza J. Stearns Lot, $100; Dora N. Spalding (Atherton) Lot, $200.; Geo. W. Putnam Cem. Fund, $1000.

Z. B. KEMP, Clerk of Trust Funds,
Amherst, N. H.

AMHERST TOWN LIBRARY

FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

OFFICERS

Z. B. KEMP,	President
BERTHA L. PIPER,	Secretary and Treasurer
PHOEBE H. CRAWFORD,	Librarian

TRUSTEES

J. A. Crawford	Term expires 1933
Pearl Perry	Term expires 1933
Caroline S. Fisher	Term expires 1934
Z. B. Kemp,	Term expires 1934
Bertha L. Piper,	Term expires 1935
Charles W. Going	Term expires 1935

TREASURER'S REPORT

February 1, 1933

Dr.

Balance	$ 52 67	
Appropriation	400 00	
George Fund	23 05	
Clark Fund	23 05	
French Fund	40 38	
Parker Fund	35 45	
		$574 60
Fines		17 25
		$591 85

Cr.

Books	$154 29
Fuel	51 75
Librarian	150 00
Care of grounds	13 47
Magazines	47 15
Lights	10 08

Printing	16 50	
Supplies	9 30	
Binding	74 90	
Removal of ashes	1 75	
Reframing portraits	7 00	
Government tax on checks	38	
Balance	*55 28	
		$591 85

*This amount to be used for outstanding bill for books.

Dr.

Feb. 1, on hand	$ 52 67
Apr. 15, Town treasurer, Mr. Kemp	100 00
May 20, Town treasurer, Mr. Kemp	100 00
June 21, Town treasurer, Mr. Kemp	100 00
Sept. 7, Town treasurer, Mr. Kemp	100 00
Jan. 12, G. W. George fund	23 05
Jan. 12, Emma Clark fund	23 05
Jan. 12, French fund	40 38
Jan. 12, Parker fund	35 45
	$574 60

Cr.

Feb. 29, Lights for Feb.	$ 88
Mar. 24, Lights for March	1 20
Apr. 4, Wholesale Radio Service Co., book	1 96
Apr. 4, Etta Dearborn, membership in N. H. L. A.	50
Apr. 15, Phoebe Crawford, salary Feb., Mar.	25 00
Apr. 15, Dura Binding Co., rebinding books	74 90
Apr. 15, Goodman's Bookstore, books	20 40
Apr. 19, Harry Burtt, stamps	2 00
Apr. 27, Hibbert Miles, work on grounds	6 48
May 2, Bertha Piper, stationery	1 00
May 25, Hazeltine & Caldwell, coal	41 25

May 25, Lowell News Co., books	26 46
May 25, Personal Bookshop, books	23 46
May 25, Lights, Apr. and May	2 00
May 25, Phoebe Crawford, salary Apr., May	25 00
May 27, Hibbert Miles, work on grounds	1 92
June 18, Hibbert Miles, work on grounds	2 62
June 21, Junior Literary Guild, books	74 00
June 21, W. A. Proctor, bulletins	16 50
June 21, Lights, June	1 00
July 30, Lights, July	1 00
Aug. 19, Ridgeway MacArthur, care of grounds	2 45
Sept. 1, Light, August	1 00
Sept. 12, Phoebe Crawford, salary June, July	25 00
Sept. 15, Willis Jewett, book	2 75
Sept. 15, W. A. Proctor, date slips	2 25
Sept. 15, Lowell News Co., books	3 76
Oct. 4, Lights, September	1 00
Oct. 4, Phoebe Crawford, salary Aug., Sept.	25 00
Oct. 4, Geo. Howard, removing ashes	1 75
Oct. 4, Lowell News Co., books	1 50
Oct. 28, Hale and Whittemore, re-framing pictures	7 00
Dec. 5, E. H. Peaslee, wood	10 50
Dec. 5, Lights, October and November	2 00
Jan. 16, W. A. Proctor, 400 gummed labels	1 75
Jan. 16, Harry Burtt, magazines	47 15
Jan. 16, Goodman's Bookstore, record book	1 80
Jan. 16, Phoebe Crawford, salary Oct., Nov., Dec. and Jan.	50 00
Government tax on 19 checks at 2c	38
Balance	38 03
	$574 60

BERTHA L. PIPER,
Treasurer.

Amherst, N. H., February 7, 1933.

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MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

RESOURCES

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year,	7883
Number of bound volumes added by purchase,	112
Number of bound volumes added by gift,	39
Federal, State and Town documents added,	6
Total,	8040
Number of volumes discarded,	4
Total number of volumes at end of year,	8036

SERVICE

	Adults	Juvenile	Total
Number volumes fiction lent,	5202	2861	8063
Number volumes non-fiction lent,	627	550	1177
Number of unbound magazines lent,	857	746	1603
Total circulation,	6686	4157	10843

Number of new borrowers added during the year,	42
Total number of active borrowers,	243

Annual Reports of the Officers of the

AMHERST SCHOOL DISTRICT

Including Financial Reports for the Fiscal Year
1931-1932

Published March, 1933

SCHOOL OFFICERS

School Board	Term Expires
Melvin W. Perry, Chairman	1933
Mrs. Marion L. Cass, Secretary	1934
Daniel B. Wetherbee	1935

Harold C. Bales, Milford, N. H.	Superintendent
Z. B. Kemp	Treasurer
B. F. McNamee	Moderator
Z. B. Kemp	Clerk
Albert W. Hubley	Truant Officer
Oscar Burns, M. D.	School Physician
Miss Venita Carter, R. N.	School Nurse

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1932-1933

Begin	Close
September 6, 1932	November 23, 1932
November 29, 1932	December 22, 1932
January 3, 1933	February 17, 1933
February 27, 1933	April 21, 1933
May 1, 1933	June 16, 1933

PROPOSED CALENDAR FOR 1933-1934

September 5, 1933	November 29, 1933
December 4, 1933	December 22, 1933
January 2, 1934	February 16, 1934
February 26, 1934	April 20, 1934
April 30, 1934	June 15, 1934

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Amherst, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 7th day of March, 1933, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year, July 1, 1933 to June 30, 1934.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.

8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

9. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for special repairs and alterations of school property, for new equipment, and for new construction or for the purchase of property to be used for school purposes.

10. To hear the report of the committee appointed at the last annual meeting to consider disposition of school property not now in use for school purposes and take any action in relation thereto.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Amherst this 14th day of February, 1933.

MELVIN W. PERRY,
MARION L. CASS,
DANIEL B. WETHERBEE,
School Board.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Financial Report of Amherst School District for Fiscal Year July 1, 1931 to June 30, 1932

Total Receipts		$19,438 45
Total Payments		18,828 78
Balance on hand June 30, 1932		$609 67

RECEIPTS

From State:		
Equalization fund (State Aid)		$2260 57
From Selectmen Raised by Taxation:		
By appropriation voted March 1931		15,947 43
From Sources Other Than Taxation:		
Dog licenses	$324 00	
Elementary school tuitions	142 00	
High school tuitions	39 50	
Income from trust funds	704 69	
Sale of property	9 97	
Rebate on books	2 10	
		$1222 26
Total receipts from all sources		$19,430 26
Cash on hand July 1, 1931		8 19
GRAND TOTAL		$19,438 45

PAYMENTS

July 1, 1931 to June 30, 1932

(Classification and numbering conform to state accounting system required in state aided districts.)

Administration:		
1. Salaries of district officers	$192 00	
2. Supt.'s excess salary	475 00	
3. Truant officer & school census	50 90	
4. Expenses of administration	243 64	
		$961 54

Instruction:

5. Teachers' salaries	$9575 00	
6. Text books	413 17	
7. Scholars' supplies	286 65	
8. Flags and appurtenances	00 00	
9. Other expenses of instruction	82 93	
		$10,357 75

Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:

10. Janitor service	$501 00	
11. Fuel	379 54	
12. Water, light and janitors' supplies	181 20	
13. Minor repairs and expenses	292 42	
		$1354 16

Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:

14. Medical inspection	$203 59	
15. Transportation	4174 50	
16. High school tuition	00 00	
17. Elementary school tuition	520 00	
18. Other special activities	14 33	
		$4912 42

Fixed Charges:

19. Tax for state-wide supervision ($2 tax)	$492 00	
20. Insurance and other fixed charges	228 75	
		$720 75

Outlay for Construction and Equipment:

21. Lands and new buildings	$00 00	
22. Alterations of old buildings	424 13	
23. New equipment	68 03	
		$492 16

Debt, Interest and Other Charges:

24. Payment of prin. of debt	$00 00	
25. Payment of int. on debt	00 00	
26. Payments of bills from previous year	00 00	
27. Lawrence prizes	30 00	
		$30 00

Total Payments for All Purposes $18,828 78

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

July 1, 1931 to June 30, 1932

1. Salaries of District Officers:

Orson H. Bragdon, school board	$35 50	
Marion L. Cass, school board	50 00	
Melvin W. Perry, school board	50 00	
Daniel B. Wetherbee, school b'rd	14 50	
Z. B. Kemp, clerk	4 00	
B. F. McNamee, moderator	4 00	
Z. B. Kemp, treasurer	30 00	
Malcolm D. Clark, auditor	2 00	
A. L. Martin, auditor	2 00	
		$192 00

2. Superintendent's Salary Account:

Harry N. Thomas, Treas. Union No. 40, acct. Harold C. Bales $475 00

3. Truant Officer and School Census:

Albert Hubley, truant officer	$25 00	
James P. Melzer, enum. cards	90	
Ralph G. Reed, census enum.	25 00	
		$50 90

4. Expenses of Administration:

Harold C. Bales, transfer case, warrants, toll calls	$2 95	

Harry B. Burtt, envelopes	4	47	
Cabinet Press, transp. bid adv., teachers' contracts	3	25	
Howard Downing, tuition rebate	6	00	
Edson C. Eastman Co., treas. report pads	1	65	
Milford School District, 2 type. ribbons	1	20	
Melvin W. Perry, treas. bond	5	00	
W. A. Proctor, printing env.	1	00	
Ralph G. Reed, one-half exp. to Keene convention, Aug. 1931	3	12	
Shattuck & Rice, record book for high school	15	00	
Harry N. Thomas, Union No. 40, acct. clerk and office exp.	200	00	
			$243 64

5. Teachers' Salaries:

Boudreau, Violet M., Cricket Corner, I-VIII	936	50	
Charlotte Boutelle, sub.	13	50	
Boutelle, Charlotte, Primary Asst., Sept.-Mar. 21	350	00	
Boutelle, Charlotte, Grs. III-IV Mar. 21-June	300	00	
Holt, Ruth, High-VII-VIII	1250	00	
Jenkins, Viola I., I-II	1050	00	
Johnson, Dorothy P., High-VII-VIII	1200	00	
MacKinnon, Josephine S., music	375	00	
Piper, Bertha L., High-VII-VIII	1250	00	
Reed, Ralph G., Headmaster, High-VII-VIII	1850	00	
Virtue, Florence L., V-VI	982	00	
Charlotte Boutelle, sub.	18	00	
			$9575 00

High, $3920.80; Elem. $5654.20

6. Textbooks:

American Book Co.	$19 64	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	56 19	
The Cable Co.	5 31	
Civic Educational Service	63 50	
Thomas Y. Crowell Co.	4 02	
Doubleday, Doran & Co.	20 02	
Ginn and Co.	41 75	
Henry Holt and Co.	3 95	
Houghton, Mifflin and Co.	58 30	
Little, Brown and Co.	3 49	
The Macmillan Co.	44 78	
Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	8 16	
Charles Scribner's Sons	20 04	
Silver, Burdett and Co.	20 55	
John C. Winston Co.	30 94	
World Book Co.	12 53	
		$413 17

High, $267.63; Elem. $145.54

7. Scholars' Supplies:

Cambosco Scientific Co.	$59 06	
Clark's Garage	3 65	
Raymond Dyer	65	
J. L. Hammett Co.	36 30	
Maurice E. Hokinson	80	
Ruth Holt	1 59	
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	1 70	
Milton Bradley Co.	175 00	
Public School Publishing Co.	6 56	
World Book Co.	1 34	
		$286 65

High $103.75; Elem. $182.90

9. Other Expenses of Instruction:

Edward E. Babb and Co., maps, reference books	$2 60	
Harold C. Bales, tree booklets	85	

G. N. Bosworth, almanacs	3 15	
Cabinet Press, report cards and envelopes	15 50	
Cambosco Scientific Co., replacements for chemistry	34 44	
J. L. Hammett Co., class record books, hecktograph, compasses, meter stick, diplomas	12 27	
Maurice E. Hokinson, cartage	88	
Macmillan Co., reference books	1 45	
Milford School District, use of posters	2 00	
Milton Bradley Co., map	1 11	
Visible Records Equipment Co., record forms	8 68	
		$82 93

High, $67.54; Elem. $15.39

10. Janitors' Salaries:

George L. Cass, Village	$315 00	
Albert Hubley, Village	90 00	
Carl Merrill, Cricket Corner	36 00	
Herbert Nelson, Village	60 00	
		$501 00

High, $154.68; Elem. $346.32

11. Fuel:

A. L. Martin, cartage from Border Street	$ 2 50	
John Parkhurst, wood	10 00	
E. H. Peaslee, wood	55 00	
D. Whiting & Sons, coal	312 04	
		$379 54

High, $112.53; Elem. $267.01

12. Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies:

Cheshire Chemical Co., towels, toilet paper	$60 50	

Clark's Garage, window wash	20	
A. L. Martin, supplies	13 88	
Public Service Co. of N. H., electricity	104 74	
Earle C. Roberts, lamps	1 88	
		$181 20

High, $82.46; Elem. $98.74

13. Minor Repairs and Expenses:

H. H. Barber Co., galv. iron, labor	$4 55	
Warren H. Chase, lumber for Border St.	6 63	
Clark's Garage, oil	55	
H. J. Cochran, patching C. C. ceiling	2 00	
David Currie, radiator, toilet repairs	6 40	
Edw. I. Erickson, summer repairs	12 00	
Frank Hartshorn Co., boards for Border St.	8 79	
Hatch Hardware Co., keys, bolts, washers	1 87	
Z. B. Kemp, repairing clocks	1 75	
H. R. Locke, repairs, labor	7 15	
A. L. Martin, supplies for repairs	34 77	
McLane Mfg. Co., desk top irons	1 44	
Milford School Dist., use of sander	5 00	
H. A. Nelson, summer cleaning	44 40	
Osgood Construction Co., insulite	4 86	
M. W. Perry, labor & supervision	26 30	
Piper-McIntire Co., tuning piano	4 00	
Earle C. Roberts, labor, repairs	18 70	
Carl W. Talbot, summer repairs	29 96	
C. M. Wallace, labor, stock	71 30	
		$292 42

High, $189.77; Elem. $102.65

14. Medical Inspection:

Oscar Burns, M. D., inspection	$100 00	
Milford Red Cross, nurse service $100, first aid supplies $3.59	103 59	
		$203 59

High, $69.20; Elem. $134.39

15. Transportation:

Roy Aiken, Lake route	$534 00	
Malcolm Clark, Greeley, Ponemah, Christ'n Hill routes	2617 00	
William Grassett, Cricket Corner route	578 50	
Emma Noble, North route	445 00	
		$4174 50

All Elementary

17. Elementary School Tuition:

Milford School Dist., 17 pupils	$520 00

18. Other Special Activities:

J. L. Hammett Co., 3 Geo. Washington picture frames	$4 50	
Dr. W. H. W. Hinds, services	3 00	
Milton Bradley Co., 2 sport basketballs	3 08	
C. E. Powers, framing pictures	3 75	
		$14 33

High, $2.75; Elem. $11.58

19. Tax for State-Wide Supervision:

Chas. T. Patten, State Treas., $2 per pupil registered 1930-1931	$492 00

20. Insurance and Other Fixed Charges:

Congregational Church and Society, rent of annex	$45 00
B. F. McNamee, ins. on rural schools, amount $1750.00; expires Apr. 19, 1935	43 75

M. W. Perry, ins. on village bldg., amount $4,000.00, expires Apr. 19, 1935	90 00	
On Border St., amount $2000., expires Apr. 19, 1935	50 00	
		$228 75

22. Alterations of Old Buildings:

Orson H. Bragdon, trucking gravel	$ 5 00	
Broadway Steel Ceiling Co., primiray room ceiling	125 00	
A. W. Converse, painting primary room ceiling	27 00	
David Currie, drinking fountain	48 50	
C. H. Holt, gravel for village school yard	36 90	
J. E. Hodge Co., window frame	13 10	
H. R. Locke, rewiring primary room	12 75	
A. L. Martin, window grate, clothes hangers, back door lock	14 00	
Clarence Richardson, painting porches, painting and varnishing classroom, painting boys' hall, varnishing windows, setting glass	100 00	
C. M. Wallace, clothes rack in primary room	6 99	
		$389 24

22A. Preparing Annex for Use:

M. F. Goodale, labor and lumber	$3 16	
Frank Hartshorn Co., lumber	2 53	
Hatch Hardware Co., keys	1 00	
H. R. Locke, hand rail, guage	8 00	

Roy S. Parker, trucking wood from Border street	1 00	
M. W. Perry, labor and supervision	3 50	
C. M. Wallace, labor	9 70	
Daniel B. Wetherbee, labor and supervision	6 00	
		$34 89
Total for Item 22 $424.13		

23. New Equipment:

Masury-Young, floor oiler	$20 43	
McLane Mfg. Co., eight armchairs	47 60	
		$68 03

27. Specials:

Marion L. Cass, paid for Lawrence prizes		$30 00
TOTAL PAYMENTS		$18,828 78
General Expenses	$2,204 45	
Support of High School	4,971 11	
Support of Elem. Schools	11,653 22	
		$18,828 78

Audited July 14, 1932,

MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

BUDGET

July 1, 1933 to June 30, 1934

A. Amount Required for the Support of Schools:

	Voted for 1931-1932	Voted for 1932-1933	Proposed for 1933-1934
Teachers' salaries	$10300	$9000	$9150
Textbooks	450	400	400
Scholars' supplies	300	270	225
Flags and appurtenances	20	15	10
Other expenses of instruction	75	65	75
Janitor service	572	536	500
Fuel	400	400	375
Water, light and janitors' supplies	150	150	125
Minor repairs and exp.	300	250	250
Medical inspection, health supervision	200	180	125
Transportation of pupils	4000	4000	3500
Payments of tuition	288	540	820
Totals	$17055	$15806	$15555

B. Other Statutory Requirements:

	Voted for 1931-1932	Voted for 1932-1933	Proposed for 1933-1934
Salaries of school board	$150	$150	$150
Salary of treasurer	30	30	30
Salary of truant officer and school census	50	50	50
Salary of clerk	4	4	4
Salary of auditors	4	4	4
Salary of moderator	4	4	4
Supt.'s salary account	475	425	475
$2 per capita tax payable Dec. 1933	492	506	476

For administration	225	200	200
For Lawrence prizes	30	30	30
Total required to meet School Board's Budget	$18519	$17209	$16978
Ins. and special repairs		631 25	
		$17840 25	

Estimated Income of District:

	Voted for 1931-1932	Voted for 1932-1933	Proposed for 1933-1934
Bal. June 30, 1933	00	$400 00	$1800 00
State Aid (Dec. '33 allotment)	$2260 57	553 10	427 11
Refunds	00	00	95 00
Dog tax	00	200 00	200 00
Income from Trust funds	700 00	700 00	650 00
Elem. school tuition receipts	36 00	36 00	72 00
High school tuition receipts	75 00		
Totals	$3071 57	$1889 10	$3244 11
Assessment required for School Board's Budget	$15947 43	$15951 15	$13733 89

MELVIN W. PERRY,
MARION L. CASS,
DANIEL B. WETHERBEE,
School Board.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

July 1, 1931 to June 30, 1932

Balance on hand from previous year			$8 19
Approp'n for current year	$15,947 43		
Received from other sources:			
Dog tax		324 00	
Income from trust funds:			
Spalding Fund	$413 43		
Nutt Fund	200 00		
A. Lawrence Fund	61 26		
Miss Lawrence Fund	30 00		
		704 69	
State Treasurer (State Aid)		2260 57	
All other sources		193 57	
			$19,430 26
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year			$19,438 45
Less School Board Orders Paid			18,828 78
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1932			$609 67

Z. B. KEMP,
District Treasurer.

June 30, 1932.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Amherst, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1932, and find them correct in all respects.

MALCOLM D. CLARK,
ASHTON L. MARTIN,
Auditors.

July 14, 1932.

ABSTRACT OF CLERK'S REPORT

To State Board of Education, School Board, and Selectmen:

District Revenue Voted March 1932 for Fiscal Year July 1, 1932 to June 30, 1933

Amount appropriated for:		
Support of high school	$4485 00	
Support of elem. schools	11,321 00	
		$15,806 00
Salaries of district officers	192 00	
Truant officer and school census	50 00	
Supt.'s salary account	425 00	
$2 per capita tax for supervision	506 00	
Administration and Lawrence prizes	230 00	
		$1,403 00
Special appropriations:		
Special repairs	$300 00	
Insurance	331 25	
		$631 25
Total amount of School Board's budget and special appropriations		$17,840 25
Less estimated income		1,889 10
Total amount to be raised		$15,951 15

Z. B. KEMP,
Clerk of School District.

March 15, 1932.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Amherst:

I herewith submit my fourteenth report which is the twenty-fourth in the series of such reports.

Supervisory Union No. 40

This Union comprises the school districts of Amherst, Brookline, Milford and Mont Vernon, and is the same as arranged in 1919 by the State Board of Education acting under the school law of 1919 by which the entire state, exclusive of cities, was divided into unions for supervisory purposes. By this law the School Boards of the districts comprising a union form a joint board which meets annually and nominates a Superintendent of Schools who is elected by the State Board. The joint board also determines the amount of the superintendent's salary above the $2000 minimum which is paid by the state from income received from the $2 per pupil tax. Of the excess voted for 1932-1933 and 1933-1934, ($1900), Amherst pays 25 per cent, Brookline 10 per cent, Milford 60 per cent, and Mont Vernon 5 per cent. The Superintendent pays all of his travelling expenses in the Union.

Teachers

Mr. Ralph G. Reed completed three years as Headmaster of the High School in June, 1932. His place has been filled by Mr. Harold A. Truell of Newport, New Hampshire. Mr. Truell is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire in 1930, after which he taught at Whitinsville, Massachusetts. There have been no other changes in teachers from last year except that the School Board decided not to continue with a music supervisor and so Miss Josephine MacKinnon who had served as such for two years past was not retained.

Enrollment

The tables below show the present situation in all schools. By advancing each grade one year the probable situation for next year can be easily found. At present the grouping in the village is Grades I-II with 40 pupils; III-IV with 35 pupils; V-VI with 24 pupils; VII-VIII with high school upstairs. It will be readily seen that the sixth grade being smallest, the combination for the next few years for Grades V-VI will be larger.

ENROLLMENT AS OF JANUARY 31, 1933

Amherst High School

Grade	IX	X	XI	XII	Totals
Girls	4	7	14	5	30
Boys	8	9	6	3	26
Totals	12	16	20	8	56
Age 13-14	3				3
Age 14-15	3	4			7
Age 15-16	4	8	8		20
Over 16	2	4	12	8	26
Totals	12	16	20	8	56

Enrollment as of January 31 for the past ten years:
64; 48; 37; 28; 29; 25; 28; 29; 25; 17

Elementary Schools

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Village	20	20	18	17	13	11	16	18	133
Cricket Corner	3	1	3	2	3	1	2	2	17
Totals	23	21	21	19	16	12	18	20	150
Girls	9	10	12	10	7	8	9	12	77
Boys	14	11	9	9	9	4	9	8	73

AGE-GRADE TABLE JANUARY 31, 1933

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Age 5-6	1								1
Age 6-7	18	5							23
Age 7-8	2	9	5						16
Age 8-9	2	3	14	2					21
Age 9-10		3		9	5				17
Age 10-11		1	2	4	4	3			14
Age 11-12				2	4	5	2	1	14

Age 12-13				2	3	2	8	5	20
Age 13-14						1	5	8	14
Age 14-15						1	2	3	6
Age 15-16							1	2	3
Over 16								1	1
Totals	23	21	21	19	16	12	18	20	150

Grand Total for all Schools—206

Enrollment as of January 31 for the past ten years in elementary school: 128; 153; 170; 168; 169; 167; 163; 157; 149; 138

Elementary tuition pupils at Milford Jan. 31, 1933, 20

High School

The enrollment in Grades IX-X-XI-XIII shows a total of 19 different pupils registered during 1922-1923 and a total of 67 for 1931-1932. This increase has, of course, increased the size of classes somewhat and, in a few cases where two grades are combined for subjects alternating year by year, has made such classes almost too large for best work to be accomplished. For next year and probably for several years there will be no appreciable decrease. The result of this is that teachers will have heavier teaching loads; in fact, the combination of Juniors and Seniors (36 in all) for next school year will require two sections in certain subjects, particularly chemistry which calls for seven periods per week in each section on account of laboratory work. This will necessitate a seven teaching-period school day instead of six as now and this in turn may require a slight increase in the length of the school day.

The old laboratory has been used this year as a classroom for Grades V-VI so that for another year laboratory space must be provided by restoring the old laboratory or by fitting up a new room which it may be feasible to do in the basement. The old laboratory was never quite large enough but now that all science classes are likely to be increased in size, it is important to provide adequate laboratory facilities.

At the present time Grades IX-X are combined for the subjects of bookkeeping one year, and commercial geography and history the next or alternating year. Bookkeeping is due to be taught in 1933-1934. Since we do not have a full commercial curriculum it would seem better to offer a year of general business training instead of bookkeeping. Many suitable and excellent texts are available for just this kind of course. Furthermore, a course in biology instead of commercial geography and history is also recommended. This would be taught for the first time in 1934-1935. By this plan a laboratory science would be taught each year, that is, chemistry next year and biology two years from now, and so on. There would be no particular loss in dropping the commercial geography and history as much of this can be taught in the geography of Grades VII and VIII.

For further discussion of high school affairs you are referred to the Headmaster's report.

Rearrangement of Grades

Soon after the annual meeting of 1932 it was decided to rearrange grades at the village building. The primary room with Grades I-II-III was very much crowded and required an assistant teacher—Miss Boutelle. The intermediate room also had a large enrollment with Grades IV-V-VI. This situation had existed for several years, especially in the primary room. Part of the extra enrollment was caused by closing of rural schools but not enough relief could be secured by reopening these schools. It was, therefore, decided to secure an extra room which was done by hiring the old G. A. R. Hall in the church building adjoining the school property. This upstairs room was fitted up with movable furniture, temporary blackboards, etc., at a cost of about $35.00 (see financial report for details).

Grade III was taken from the primary room and Grade IV from the intermediate room. The combination made a total of twenty-seven pupils. Miss Boutelle, who had been assistant in the primary room with Miss Jenkins, took full charge of this room. By this plans we became entitled to additional state aid amounting to approximately $1000.00. But more than that was the advantage to teachers and children, namely, fewer grades and fewer pupils per teacher. This arrangement continued to the end of the year at a rental of $45. In September it was not deemed best to lease the church property again and so the high school laboratory was rearranged to take care of the twenty-three pupils in Grades V-VI for this present school year. The loss of this room to the high school was compensated for by dividing a large room on the second floor into two smaller class rooms which have proved entirely adequate; in fact, very much better for high school purposes than the old arrangement. The new room for Grades V-VI, however, has not been very satisfactory due to its small size and inadequate lighting. It was foreseen last summer that this arrangement could not be permanent due to the conditions stated above and to a larger enrollment for 1933-1934 and succeeding years. A definite solution of this problem must be made before the opening of the next school year.

There are various possibilities for providing this extra room and the School Board have asked to have these presented in this report.

(a) Remodelling of village building: There is space enough on the first floor of the building for three good rooms, but to secure such rooms with adequate floor space, lighting, and so on, to meet the state requirements for a standard elementary room and thus to be eligible for

state aid, quite extensive remodelling would have to be done. This, of course, would give good results in the end for all three rooms but may not justify the cost, providing some other arrangement can be found.

(b) Reopening of rural schools: The opening of any one rural school would bring but slight relief to any one grade or room at the village building, because pupils from any one section of the district are distributed through all grades. Several rural schools would have to be opened to decrease the enrollment at the village enough so that the extra room would not be needed, and then there would have to be more classes per teacher which is not to the advantage of the pupils. Of course, if several rurals were opened the cost would probably be more than any other arrangement.

(c) Enlargement: Another room can be secured by building an addition to the village building, but this would be quite expensive and hardly justifiable at the present time.

(d) Another building: Such a solution might be secured by purchasing or renting property in the village or by moving an outside schoolhouse to the village.

Repairs

During 1932 the following things were done:

1. Usual thorough summer cleaning.
2. Replacement of a few windows in high school.
3. Installation of an extra window in stairway at high school.
4. Minor interior painting.
5. Partitioning of north room on second floor at high school.

Needs for the future are:

1. Ventilation at the Village building—still an important need.

2. New desks for high school main room.
3. New floor in high school main room.
4. Laboratory for high school.
5. Another elementary room that will meet approved standards. (See section above.)

Finances

The budget as presented by the School Board in their report shows an increase for teachers' salaries over the amount voted in March 1932. This is accounted for by the fact that a full time teacher is planned for the extra elementary room instead of an assistant in the primary room. The expenditure of a small extra amount secured approval of the additional room this present year and an increase in state aid of about $1000. This will presumably continue another year if the additional elementary room is brought up to standard. Many other items in the budget show decreases. "Other expense of instruction" is slightly increased due to a large graduating class expected in 1934; and payment of tuition is increased due to a larger number of pupils to attend Milford from Border Street; in fact, the amount to be spent for tuition this year will be about $730 instead of the estimated figure of $540 as voted in March 1932. The Superintendent's salary account shows more than last year because the Supervisory Union has arranged for a two year contract and apportioned Amherst's share at the figure noted. However, a portion of this will be refunded. The total amount of money required to meet the School Board's budget is about 14 per cent reduction over last year's total. This, of course, is exclusive of any money that may be voted under special articles in the warrant for special purposes.

Certain comparative figures may be of interest as follows:

(a) The average cost per pupil in Amherst ele-

mentary schools for 1931-1932 was $92.45 against a state median of $82.11.

(b) The average cost per pupil in Amherst high school for 1931-1932 was $87.02 against a state median of $118.51 (all costs). The average cost per pupil for high school instruction only was $69.27 against the state average of $89.79. There were but five high schools in the state with a lower cost for instruction.

(c) Cost of textbooks per pupil: Amherst $2.11, state $1.56. Increased size of classes with alternating subjects in high school has caused unusual demand for textbooks.

(d) Cost of scholars' supplies per pupil: Amherst $1.47; state $1.84.

(e) Cost of medical inspection per pupil: Amherst $1.06; state $1.38.

(f) Current cost of public education per $1000 of equalized valuation (1930-1931) in Amherst was $11.14. This placed Amherst No. 141 out of a total of 244 districts in the state, Monroe being the lowest with $3.04 and Mason the highest at $23.48.

(g) Out of a total appropriation of $46,030.07 for 1931-1932 (see page 8 of 1932 report), schools had $15,947.43 or 34.16%. The Tax Commission's recent report shows that the average for schools throughout the state was 27.8%.

Conclusion

At the Citizens' Conference on the Crisis In Education called by the President last month in Washington, Mr. Hoover said in his opening address:

"Our nation faces the acute responsibility of providing a right-of-way for the American child. In spite of our economic, social and governmental difficulties, our future citizens must be built up now. We may delay other problems, but we cannot delay the day-to-day care and instruction of our children.

"Our governmental forces have grown unevenly along with our astounding national development. We are now forced to make decisions on the merits of the various expenditures. But in the rigid governmental economics that are requisite everywhere we must not encroach upon the schools or reduce the opportunity of the child through the school to develop adequate citizenship. There is no safety for our republic without the education of our youth. That is the first charge upon all citizens and local governments.

"I have confidence that with adequate reduction of expenditures there can be ample amounts obtained from reasonable taxation to keep our school system intact and functioning satisfactorily. . . The proper care and training of our children is more important than any other process that is carried on by our Government. If we are to continue to educate our children, we must keep and sustain our teachers and our schools."

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD C. BALES,
Superintendent of Schools.

February 22, 1933.

STATISTICS

Number of weeks in school year	36
Average number of half days in session	355
Average number of sessions lost from all causes	5
Number of one-room schools maintained (Cricket Corner)	1
Average membership at Cricket Corner	14.33
Whole number of different pupils registered: Boys 110; Girls 115; Total	225
Enrollment by grades: I-22; II-24; III-19; IV-19; V-16; VI-23; VII-20; VIII-15; IX-29; X-20; XI-15; XII-3	225
Average membership in high school	62.94
Average daily attendance in high school	60.82
Per cent of attendance in high school for year	96.64
Average membership in elementary schools	132.56
Average daily attendance in elem. schools	125.31
Per cent of attendance in elementary schools	94.44
Per cent of attendance in all schools for year	95.20
Number of cases of tardinesses in all schools	142
Number of cases of tardinesses in high school	35
Number not absent nor tardy during year	9
Salary of headmaster	$1850.00
Av. salary of high school teachers, includ- VII and VIII	$1233 00
Av. salary of elementary teachers	$975 00
Number of visits made to schools by:	
School Board members	67
Superintendent	258
Citizens (including special occasions)	202
Number of School Board meetings held	18

High School Graduates 1932

Alice Converse	Edwin Locke
Ernestine Converse	Ernest Odell
Eric Hare	Lucy Swenson

Pupils Completing Elementary School June 1932

Charlene Armstrong*
Nicolo Bono*
Joseph Case
Edith Deacon
Donald Grant*
Loran Hanson*
Wilbur Hare*
Frank Martin*
Geneva Roby*
June Tuttle*
Theodore Underwood*

* Entered High School Sept. 1932

Perfect Attendance, School Year 1931-1932

Charlene Armstrong, Albert Baribeau, Helen Bartis, Julia Cass, Shirley MacArthur, Russell Nichols, John Ross, Howard Sanford, Edith Young.

Perfect Attendance Sept. 6, 1932 to Jan. 31, 1933

High School: Delia Beck, John Beck, Arthur Bills, Shirley MacArthur, Oliver Merrill, Edith Noble, Ruth Noble, Evelyn Ritchie, Oline Sherman, Evelyn Stevens, Theodore Underwood.

Grades VII and VIII: Edward Beck, Olive Miles, Marjorie Noble, Arlene Perry, Hazel Trow.

Grades V and VI: Helen Long, David Richardson, Helen Ryan.

Grades III and IV: Barbara Barker, Henry Beck, Dorothy Going, Howard Long, Shirley Long, Shirley Sylvester.

Grades I and II: John Ross.

Cricket Corner: Albert Baribeau, Emile Baribeau, Helen Bartis, Carl Merrill, Gladys Weston, Roger Weston.

Return of School Census, September 1932

Jane Monson, Enumerator

Number of children 5-16 years of age:
Boys 98; Girls 105; Total 203

Total number of children (5-16) registered as members of local public schools on Sept. 30, 1932 177*

*Also 23 over 16

Number of children attending elementary school outside of district	19
Number 5-8 years of age not attending school	6
Number 8-14 not attending school	0
Number 14-16 not atending school	3
Number of tuition pupils in Amherst (elem.)	2
Number of tuition pupils in Amherst (high)	0

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To Harold C. Bales, Superintendent of Schools, Amherst, N. H.:

The following is my first report of the health work in the Amherst schools, it being the thirteenth year of this work.

The annual medical inspection was made in September by Dr. Burns, the nurse assisting. A tabulated account of this inspection is given on another page.

A toxoide clinic was put on by the State Department of Health during April and May, 1932, at which forty-five children received toxoide, to become immunized against diphtheria.

Fifteen children have been successfully vaccinated by the school physician since the fall examinations and all other cases are now taken care of by proper excuses.

Three children were taken to the hospital for tonsil operations during the summer.

Much time has been spent in doing social service work for the school children during the past year. Aid was received from the county, Amherst Red Cross, and local committees.

We have been very fortunate in having only a few cases of contagious diseases this year. Several children were found to have pediculosis. They were

treated at home after instructions had been given by the nurse.

Forty-three visits have been made to the schools in the past year which consisted of class room inspection, short talks on personal health, and special attention for individual children.

The eye examinations have been completed. The results show eighteen pupils have defctive vision. Five have now received glasses. I am hoping that more can be corrected in the future, perhaps through a clinic.

The ear examinations will be made in April when the audiometer may be obtained from the State Department of Health. With this instrument a very accurate examination may be made.

The number of dental defects has increased this year quite a lot over the last examination.

The following is a report of the State Board of Health, Division Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene, in Amherst during the year.

As to the toxoid clinic held in cooperation with the School Department there were 87 children treated. From 6 months to 1 year, 4; 1 years to 8 years, 58; 8 years to 12 years, 25; total 87.

Home visits to mothers, infants and pre-school children were made during the year by the State Nurse, Mary H. Cunningham, in Hillsboro County.

Respectfully submitted,

VENITA H. CARTER, R. N.,
School Nurse.

February 7, 1933.

REPORT OF HEADMASTER

To the Members of the School Board, Superintendent of Schools, and Citizens of Amherst, N. H.:

I hereby submit my first annual report.

School commenced on September 6, 1932, with a total enrollment of fifty-three pupils in the high school. Since then two pupils have left and six have been admitted. Therefore, at the present time, we have a total membership in the high school of fifty-seven pupils; eight of these being seniors.

We had a membership of twenty-nine pupils in the seventh and eighth grades at the beginning of the school year but since then we have added seven and lost two, making a total of thirty-four pupils at the present time. Seventeen of these are in the seventh grade and seventeen are in the eighth grade.

The attendance has been very good in many cases. There has been a great deal of sickness this year which accounts for most of our absences. We have an attendance contest on with other high schools in this vicinity which is an incentive to our pupils. Our tardiness is far greater than it should be.

We have had four interesting special events at the school so far during the school year 1932-1933. The first of these was the Washington Bicentennial which was given at the town hall on October 12 by all of the school children of Amherst. There was an afternoon and evening program. Judging from the attendance, I believe that the parents and friends enjoyed these events. The second was the Teachers' Institute on October 24, conducted by the State Board of Education. Nearby teachers attended this institute at the Amherst Village School. We were exceedingly pleased to have so many of the teachers visit the Cricket Corner School. All except three of

the teachers present went down and they remarked how much they enjoyed this visitation. Miss Boudreau is certainly keeping the children interested in their school work. Our high school teachers attended this institute. The third event dealt with the teachers more than with the pupils. This was a party given to all of the teachers in this union by the Amherst teachers. There were about forty teachers present and all had a very enjoyable evening. The last was the celebration of Education Week. We had the life of George Washington shown on the screen to all of the pupils. Two pupils spoke at Cricket Corner School; two at Milford High School; two in Miss Virtue's room; two in Miss Boutelle's room; and two to the seventh and eighth grades concerning the value of Education Week and stressing the importance of acquiring an education. In return we had two representatives of the Milford High School speak at one of our assemblies.

The teachers are very cooperative this year. As we all know, little can be accomplished without cooperation. It is a joy to work with such an efficient group of teachers. This past fall the high school teachers have combined with the Milford High School teachers in studying McKown's book on High School Clubs. These meetings have been very interesting and much professional benefit has been derived from them. Teachers' meetings are held the second and fourth Tuesdays of every month.

The idea of clubs is something new in the Amherst High School. Here is something which the pupils conduct themselves and in which they all have an interest. It allows them to get contact with one another other than in the classroom. Of course some of the pupils still have not participated to any great extent but as time goes on I believe that the ideals of leadership and cooperation will be achiev-

ed. We have eight clubs in the school, four meeting on alternate weeks. They are for the pupils and are conducted by them.

The sewing club is one of the interesting clubs in the school. Pupils are taught how to do different types of dressmaking, crocheting, knitting, etc. They have also brought old clothes from home, which otherwise would have been thrown away, to school and mended them. These articles are then passed on to the members of poor families of Amherst.

The literary club is composed of seventh and eighth grade pupils. They pick up information around the school, assemble it in the club, and then publish a small school paper bi-monthly.

The nature club deals with the study of plants, animals, game laws, etc. Great interest was manifested when discussions arose over some of the game laws.

The live wire club is another club whose membership is composed mostly of boys. This club is similar to the live wire club of last year. Here they discuss topics such as sculpturing. At the present time they are carving figures out of soap. The members take a keen interest in this project.

The dramatics club deals with stage acting, make-up, stage decorating, etc. At present they are learning how to reproduce a play. This play will be presented to the whole student body at some assembly.

The first aid club is essential to all pupils. Those who are members think it is very beneficial. They take up the proper way to bandage broken legs, arms, fingers, etc. First aid plays are written by the members and then they are presented to the club. Some of these have been so unique and helpful that they have been presented to the whole student body.

The sports club deals with various types of

sports. We have discussed basketball and hockey. Other sports are being considered by the pupils. In this club the pupils have the opportunity to find out how any game is played. We hope it will create a greater interest in the members of the school in regard to all sports.

The last club is the vocational guidance club. This is not by any means the least important. The object of this body is to study the different vocations in life and in so doing a pupil will not leave school at the time of graduation knowing little or nothing of life's problems which will confront him. We send to Washington, D. C. for helpful bulletins on all of the vocations which we discuss. I believe this is one of the greatest benefits which a pupil can receive before graduation. When they are young, they little realize what faces them on the other side of life, the side after leaving school. We try in this club to give them a chance to understand some of the major problems of an independent citizen.

All of these above mentioned clubs are for the benefit of the pupils. These clubs try to develop leadership, initiative, understanding, cooperation, and high ideals among the pupils; these principles to be applied in later life.

For the past year or two, the seventh and eighth grades have not been included in the Triple Entente Association. This year we have combined them to help bridge the gap between the grades and the high school. Some of the pupils of the grades think that the high school pupils do not want them. This does not seem to be true for if one notices the pupils outside of the classroom, they mix regardless of class.

It is our earnest desire to cooperate with the parents whenever possible. Some of the parents have visited school so far this year but we would like to

have others. We are always glad to welcome visitors even though they cannot stay more than a few minutes. In view of this fact, I am presenting the school timetable for your convenience.

Time Table for Amherst High School 1932-1933

Pd.	Time	Mr. Truell	Miss Holt	Miss Johnson	Miss Piper
1	8.45 9.30	Geog. VII VIII°	Science VII VIII°	English IX	History XI and XII
2	9.30 10.15	Economics x	French X	Study Room	History VIII
	10.15 10.30	RECESS			
3	10.30 11.15	Com'l Geog & Hist IX and X	French XII	English VIII	History VII
4	11.15 12.00	Geog. VIII z	French XI	Latin X	Arith. VII
	12.00 1.00	NOON HOUR			
5	1.00 1.40	Special Assemblies			
6	1.40 2.25	Alg. IX	English VII	English X	Arith. VIII
	2.25 2.30	RECESS			
7	2.30 3.15	Geometry X	Science VII z	English XI-XII	History IX

° Science VII, Monday, Tuesday; Science, VIII, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Geography VIII, Monday, Tuesday; Geography VII, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

x Sociology is given in place of Economics first half of the year.

z Geography VIII, Thursday, fourth period.

Science VII, Thursday, seventh period.

For next year, 1933-1934, Chemistry will be given for Juniors and Seniors in place of Sociology and Economics; a course in elementary business procedure in place of Commercial Geography and History. It is hoped that Biology may eventually alternate with this business course and Commercial Geography and History may be dropped entirely, as much of the subject matter of this course is covered in the Geography work in Grades VII and VIII.

The assembly periods (1:00-1:40) for the week are filled as follows:

Monday: Fundamentals (either spelling, arithmetic or geography)

Tuesday: Clubs.

Wednesday: Music (this is held for those interested in music).

Thursday: Triple Entente meeting (a short program is given at the close of each meeting if time permits).

Friday: Fundamentals (either spelling, arithmetic or geography).

At various times we have outside talent come in to either talk or play to the pupils.

We should like at this time to thank our janitor, Mr. Hubley, for his whole-hearted cooperation and attention to our daily needs. We appreciate being warm on the coldest days of the year.

In closing I wish to express my appreciation to the school officials, teachers, parents, and friends for their hearty cooperation in making the Amherst High School a success.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD A. TRUELL,
Headmaster.

February 13, 1933.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

To the School Board of Amherst:

The following is my annual report of the medical inspection made September 23, 1932.

Number examined:

Pupils 204; Teachers 8; Janitor 1

Number not present: 2

Defects	Number
Underweight (10% or more)	27
Defective vision	1
Defective hearing	4
Cardiac disease	1
Pulmonary disease	1
Deformity	1
Defective teeth	89
Diseased tonsils	37
Unvaccinated (without proper excuse)	20
Anaemia	2

Respectfully submitted,

OSCAR BURNS, M. D.

February 7, 1933.

VITAL STATISTICE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1932

BIRTHS

Date, Name of Child, Name of Father, Maiden Name of Mother.

1931

Dec. 14. Robert Henry Hayward. Leonard M. Hayward. Kathleen T. Ryerson.

1932

Mar. 8. Sandra Hutchinson. Paul N. Hutchinson. Doris M. Stronach.

Mar. 5. Robert Bancroft Richardson. Russell B. Richardson. Anna M. Lee.

Mar. 28. Infant Monson. Algot T. Monson. Anita Jane Osterhout.

Mar. 26. Elsie Joyce Nichols. Monroe Nichols. Mary Swenson.

Apr. 4. Beulah Frances Plummer. Ralph Plummer. Stella M. Clark.

Apr. 9. Robert Charles Elliott. John A. Elliott. Ariel McNeil.

May 14. Constance Ruth Anderson. Raymond Anderson. Irene Perrault.

May 19. Robert Henry Kruger. Randolph Kruger. Catherine A. Bose.

May 24. Phyllis Madeline Miles. Leslie Miles. Viola Race.

May 23. Mae Cecil Nichols. John Nichols. Cecil Berwick.

June 27. Orson Herbert Bragdon, Jr. Orson H. Bragdon. Helen Newton.

June 27. James Stuart Telfer. Robert S. Telfer. Wolcott S. Stuart.

Aug. 12. Joy Carolyn Kirby. Wm. John Kirby. Julia C. Budyka.

Aug. 12. David William Durrell. Laforest W. Durrell. Marjory L. Smith.

Aug. 21. Gordon Allen Hayward. Louis Hayward. Esther Richardson.

Sept. 9. Annie May Green. Paul Green. Laura E. Jones.

Sept. 5. Donald Leon Hanson. Leon E. Hanson. Arlene Palmer.

Sept. 11. Reginald Irwin Lamb. Richard Lamb. Ruth Richardson.

Sept. 19. Infant Batchelder. William H. Batchelder. Gertrude Frost.

Sept. 18. Glora Betty Dion. Wilfred J. Dion. Edith M. Davis.

Oct. 20. Walter Adney Potter. Leslie A. Potter. Alma G. Shaw.

Oct. 31. James Edward Durant. Ernest J. Durant. Eula B. Champagne.

Nov. 15. Kay Norling. Edwin G. Norling. Caroline Kirk.

Nov. 21. Doris Elinor Jones. William P. Jones Gladys Green.

Nov. 29. Howard Douglas Miles. Claire Miles. Helen Lee.

MARRIAGES

Date, Name of Parties, By Whom Married

1931

Dec, 13. William J. Kirby, 22, Amherst, and Julia Budyka, 20, Manchester, by W. D. Armitage, Milford, Clergyman.

1932

Apr. 14. Clair A. Miles, 21, Amherst, and Helen M. Lee, 18, Amherst, by Irving B. Farnum, Mont Vernon, Clergyman.

Apr. 26. Maurice S. Hanson, 22, Amherst, and Emma F. Bennett, 54, Amherst, by William Weston, Milford, Clergyman.
June 22. Willard Batchelder, 21, Amherst, and Gertrude Frost, 17, Amherst, by Z. B. Kemp, Amherst, Justice of the Peace.
July 5. Robert A. Schreiner, 24, Clinton, Mass., and Edith M. Revell, Fitchburg, Mass., by Z. B. Kemp, Amherst, Justice of the Peace.
Nov. 19. Carl H. Esty, 21, Concord, N. H., and Elizabeth A. Hubley, 18, Concord, N. H., by R. Russell Denison, Milford, Clergyman.
Nov. 25. Robert B. Hayes, 30, Quincy, Mass., and Doris A. Ladd, 24, Amherst, by John W. Starie, Amherst, Congregational Minister.
Dec. 18. Samuel Stengel, 29, Allston, Mass., and Rebecca Herschfield, 22, Lawrence, Mass., by Z. B. Kemp, Amherst, Justice of the Peace.

DEATHS

Date, Name, Age, Name of Father, Maiden Name of Mother

Feb. 7. Eliza A. Ethridge. 88 yrs., 3 mos., 6 days. Mark Ingraham. Ann Phillips.
Feb. 12. Edwin S. Hanson. 36 yrs., 6 mos., 21 days. John A. Hanson. Georgia D. Seavey
Mar. 20. Nellie M. Trow. 73 yrs., 3 mos., 14 days. Chas. H. Holden. Lorenza Holden.
Mar. 28. Infant Monson. 0 yrs., 0 mos., 0 days. Algot T. Monson. Anita Jane Osterhout.
Mar. 24. Matilda Faber 85 yrs., 7 mos., 23 days. John Knudson. Malena Strand.
Oct. 19, 1931. Herbert A. Nelson. 63 yrs., 11 mos., 3 days. Eugene Nelson. Emma Colburn.

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Mar. 30. Llewellyn Jordan. 70 yrs., 10 mos., 23 days. Edwin Jordan. Caroline Bailey.
May 1. Fern May Knight. 42 yrs., 11 mos., 14 days. Edson J. Brown. Myrtie Carter.
May 5. Ella V. Stearns. 61 yrs., 2 mos., 4 days. Waldo E. Hill. Elvira Wood.
Apr. 28. Bernice M. Robinson. 19 years. William Robinson. Annie Adams.
May 15.. Katherine L. Prince. 76 yrs., 4 mos., 1 day. James Kelley. Unknown.
May 18. Thelma I Field. 6 yrs., 11 mos., 0 days. Arthur E. Field. Bertha I. Roach.
May 27. Edward G. Hodgeman. 60 yrs., 8 mos., 12 days. John P. Hodgeman. Esther S. Paige.
June 8 Mary Appleton Spalding. 84 yrs., 2 mos., 18 days. Edward Spalding, M. D. Dora E. Barrett.
June 29. Sarah H. Chandler. 57 yrs., 8 mos., 24 days. J. M. Harvell. Eliza Blood.
July 30. Edward P. West. 58 yrs., 5 mos., 8 days. George W. West. Catherine Gardner.

Aug. 6. John Albert Young, Jr. 15 yrs., 1 mo., 19 days. John A. Young, Sr. Maysie Horton.
Sept. 9. Annie May Green. 0 yr., 0 mo., 0 days. Paul Green. Laura E. Jones.
Sept. 20. Infant Batchelder. 1 day. Willard H. Batchelder. Gertrude Frost.
Oct. 2. Lucy J. Webster. 94 yrs., 10 mos., 24 days. Albert Austin. Unknown.
Oct. 27. Lindley F. Wyman. 65 yrs., 10 mos., 13 days. James I. Wyman. Eliza Follansbee.
Oct. 30. Earl E. Miller. 54 yr., 4 mos., 29 days. Horace E. Miller. Sarah J. Dyer.
Nov. 10. Annie Maria (Morse) Bryant. 66 yrs., 4 mos., 27 days. John Grimes Morse. Roxie Page Bradford.
Nov. 24. George Merrill. 61 yrs., 11 mos., 17 days. Charles Merrill. Mary Butterfield.
Nov. 27. Edith D. Deacon. 55 yrs., 2 mos., 27 days. Duncan. Unknown.
Dec 2. George F. Hoeg. 49 yrs., 8 mos., 2 days. James Hoeg. Amelia Allen.
Dec. 24. Putnam Jenkins. 91 yrs., 2 mos., 16 days.
Dec. 28. Emma L. Parker. 85 yrs., 6 mos., 15 days. Abram J. Twiss. Sabra G. Carr.

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Z. B. KEMP, Town Clerk.